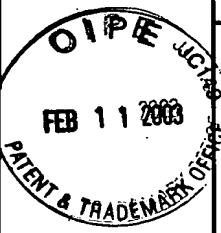


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<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table border="0" style="width:100%"><thead><tr><th></th><th style="text-align:right"><u>Large Entity Fee</u></th><th></th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td><td style="text-align:right">\$110</td><td>\$</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td><td style="text-align:right">\$400</td><td>\$</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td><td style="text-align:right">\$920</td><td>\$</td></tr><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td><td style="text-align:right">\$1,440</td><td>\$1,440.00</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17 (a)(5))</td><td style="text-align:right">\$1,960</td><td>\$</td></tr></tbody></table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the amount shown above is reduced by one-half and the resulting fee is: \$ _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>05-0649</u> . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. <input type="checkbox"/> applicant. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. <input type="checkbox"/> Attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____</p> <p style="text-align:right">RECEIVED FEB 12 2003 OFFICE OF PETITIONS</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> <p><u>February 10, 2003</u> _____ Date Signature Mark S. Cohen, Reg. No. 42,425 Typed or printed name</p> <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representatives(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Total of _____ forms are submitted.</p>				<u>Large Entity Fee</u>		<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$110	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$400	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$920	\$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1,440	\$1,440.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17 (a)(5))	\$1,960	\$
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